

All Saints Newsletter

October 1, 2009

Jeans Day - \$1.00 – Friday, October 2

Wear pink for Breast Cancer Awareness in support of the teachers, staff, and families who have been affected. Grade 8 will wear uniforms to high school visitations. Teachers will include 10-15 minutes of “walk time” in the McAlear Center or outdoors weather permitting.



Smiley Faces

Thank you to everyone who turned in photos for our Respect Life Sunday display. What beautiful and happy children we have. While attending Mass this weekend, be sure to look in the Narthex for our “smiley faces.”

Looking Ahead to Parent-Teacher Conferences

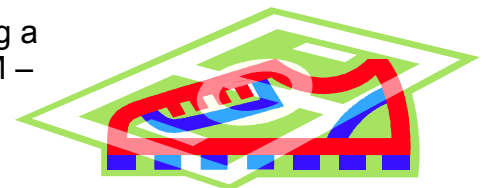
Hard copies of the explanation letter and form requesting a conference time were sent home with each student today. The completed form should be returned by **Friday, October 9**. Your time(s) will be confirmed as soon as possible. Mrs. Richardson and Mrs. Tangeman will be scheduling the conferences, please contact them if you have questions. Conferences are organized for parents. Therefore, we are asking that children do not attend including middle school students.



Brief Summary: Preschool through Grade 3 will run a traditional schedule which consists of a 15-minute conference for each student. If your child is in Grades 4 and 5, the conference will be with the homeroom teacher for 10 minutes. If an additional conference is needed, you may request one for another day at your personal convenience. Middle school conferences will be held in the McAlear Center with a minimum of eight minutes per conference and a two-minute passing time. Parents will be scheduled to meet with the homeroom teacher and any additional teachers as requested. Specialized teachers will be present in the McAlear from 3:00–9:15 PM. It is extremely important for teachers to keep to a schedule so that they have an opportunity to meet with all parents. School office will be open from 3:00-9:00 PM. Please call if you are running behind or cannot keep your conference time. It is our hope that your conference will prove to be a productive one and enable you to receive first-hand information about your child.

St. Vincent de Paul's Poor Walk

Toledo Diocesan Council Society of St. Vincent de Paul, will be hosting a *Friends of the Poor Walk* on Saturday, October 17, 2009 from 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM. Will you join us and be a friend of the poor? Just one mile will make a difference in our community. Walker Pledge Sheets are available in the school office or you may register online at www.svdpfriendsofthepoorwalk.org.



Halloween Planning

Halloween has traditionally been a holiday enjoyed by the young and old alike. In past years, some schools have banned the practice of dressing in costume because of inappropriate choices which were unsafe, disruptive to learning, or in poor taste. Looking ahead to this frightful day, we are asking our families to use good judgment when choosing costumes and to refrain from spending excess monies at costume shops. Please avoid dressing in “suggestive” clothing or as popular celebrities of questionable character. We want our children to imitate good role models. If we feel that student’s costume is in appropriate for any reason, the student will not be allowed to change into the costume for our Halloween celebrations.

- ▶ Costumes for students are allowed but always optional.
- ▶ Masks may not be worn in or to school for safety reasons.
- ▶ Costumes may not be worn to school and should be simple enough for students to handle on their own.
- ▶ Make-up may not be worn to school nor applied at school.
- ▶ Look-alike or dangerous instruments such as guns, knives, chains, or swords are prohibited.
- ▶ Students may wear costumes home on the bus if they are not too bulky.



Our parade will begin about 1:00 PM on Friday, October 30. Weather permitting, we will parade outside and around the grounds. Parents are invited to watch. Students will return to the classrooms to enjoy a simple treat or party arranged by the individual teachers and room parents. Helpers are reminded to sign-in at the office. Assistance with classroom cleanup is always appreciated. If you are questioning the appropriateness of a costume, idea for a costume, or accessory, please feel free to call Mrs. Richardson.

Testing

Scantron testing for students in Grades 2-8 will continue through the middle of October. For your convenience, the testing schedule is posted on our website.

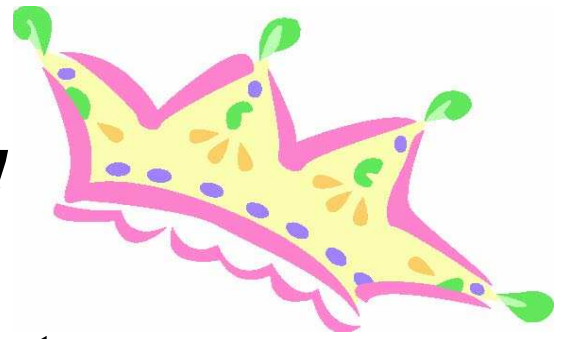
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Patronal Feast of the Holy Rosary

As we prepare our hearts for the Opening Celebration of our Toledo Diocesan Centenary (October 7, 2009 to April 14, 2010), be sure to tune into EWTN on October 7, for the Noon Mass live from Our Lady, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Cathedral.

Save the Date

Remember the Time!



All Saints Falcon Club Presents.....

Falcon Fest 2009!

November 14, 2009 – McAlear Center – 6 pm – 11pm

Tickets \$25.00 per person presale

\$30.00 per person at the door

It's the first All Saints Homecoming – 80's Style!!!

Elect the Homecoming Court (ballots to be completed at the door)

The Court will ride the Horses!!

Come join us for food * drink * dancing *silent auction * gambling!

*Cash Bar *Horse Races* Big Six and more!*

Order your ticket and return the form below with payment.

(Please make checks out to All Saints Falcon Club)

Return the form and payment to the office and the tickets will be sent back to you!

Any questions, please contact Andrea Ohrt - 419-349-1074

Name _____

Number of Tickets _____ *x \$25.00* _____

Grade of Oldest Student _____